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SUBJ: OKINAWA EXPO DESIGN

REF: STATE 219193, TOKYO 14531, USIA 21039

ICS/E FOR CLARKE

IEA FOR CARTER

1. BEGIN SUMMARY. SUGGEST GERSIN PLAN ARRIVE NAHA NOV 23 OR 24, VISIT EXPO SITE NOV 25, EVALUATE CONSTRUCTION COSTS AND MATERIAL AVAILABILITY NOV 26, RETURN TOKYO NOV 27. END SUMMARY.
2. SUNDAY, NOV 25, WOULD BE BEST TIME FOR GERSIN TO VISIT EXPO SITE FOR ORIENTATION. HE CAN MEET WITH LOCAL OFFICE OF SHIMIZU TO DISCUSS CONSTRUCTION COSTS AND MATERIALS AVAILABILITY ON MONDAY NOV 26. SINCE WE UNDERSTAND THAT

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ANY STRUCTURAL CHANGES MUST BE APPROVED BY THE OKINAWAN PREFECTURAL GOVERNMENT AS WELL AS THE EXPO COORDINATING COMMITTEE IN TOKYO, HE MAY ALSO WISH TO DISCUSS THIS PROBLEM LOCALLY.

3. IF GERSIN INTERESTED IN MEETING INTERIOR DESIGN FIRMS AND INSTALLATION CONTRACTORS, SUGGEST EMBASSY ARRANGE APPOINTMENT WITH FRED HARRIS, THE DESIGN STUDIO, TOKYO, TEL 585-1380 OR 585-3613, WHO HAS HAD SOME 15 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN JAPAN AND HAS DONE WORK FOR EMBASSY AND TRADE CENTER.

4. IF JAPANESE HOLIDAY NOV 23 PREVENTS SCHEDULING APPOINTMENTS IN TOYKO, CONGEN AGREEABLE TO GERSIN'S ARRIVING NAHA NOV 23. CONTROL OFFICER H.A. COCHRAN WILL MEET AND ARRANGE APPROPRIATE ACTIVITIES.

5. PLEASE ADVISE IF FOREGOING ACCEPTABLE.

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